Directions: Answer the 5 questions on US government in you notebook. Take your time and look for clues.

1. The power to make laws and to declare war is granted to which branch(es) of the United States government?

(1) Executive Branch

(2) Legislative Branch

(3) Judicial Branch

(4) Executive and Legislative Branches

2. One of the major functions of the Judicial branch of the United States government is to

(1) interpret the laws

(2) make U.S. foreign policy

(3) enforce the laws

(4) approve or reject presidential appointments

3. The first amendment of the Constitution deals primarily with

(1) states’ rights

(2) property rights

(3) rights of the accused

(4) rights of self-expression

4. One of the principles stated in the Declaration of Independence is that government should

(1) guarantee economic equality among citizens

(2) have unlimited power to rule the people

(3) be based upon the consent of the governed

(4) be led by educated citizens

5. The framers of the United States Constitution included the concepts of the separation of powers and a bill of rights in the document because they

(1) feared a government with unlimited power

(2) favored the poor over the rich

(3) wanted to increase the powers of the states

(4) hoped to expand the democratic process